

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE –
EXAMINING GROUP 2813

PATENT

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Kouta NAGANO et al.

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For: METHOD FOR
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SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

Customer No.: 20350

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 20, 2008 on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.